

1. (Currently Amended) A method of configuring a programmable pump for delivering an agent to a patient, the method comprising:

generating a user interface having a plurality of pages configured for display on a screen of a programmable pump, at least one of the pages being identified as a home page;

retrieving at least one banner from memory of the programmable pump, the banner comprising substantially freely-editable, patient-identifying content; and

displaying the retrieved at least one banner in the home page on the screen of the programmable pump.

2. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein retrieving a banner includes retrieving a banner identifying the programmable pump as an insulin pump.
3. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein retrieving a banner includes retrieving a banner containing information identifying the user of the programmable pump.
4. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein retrieving a banner includes retrieving a banner containing medical information specific to the user of the programmable pump.
5. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein retrieving a banner includes retrieving a banner identifying the caregiver for the user of the programmable pump.

6. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein two or more of the pages generated by the user interface are home pages, further wherein:

retrieving at least one banner from memory, includes retrieving two or more banners from memory; and

displaying the retrieved at least one banner in the home page, includes displaying at least one banner one of the home pages and at least one banner on another of the home pages.

7. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein the programmable pump is in data communication with a computer, the method further comprising:

entering the at least one banner into the computer;

downloading the at least one banner from the computer to the programmable pump; and

loading the at least one banner from memory onboard the programmable pump.

8.-14. (Canceled)

15. (Currently Amended) An infusion pump for delivering insulin, the pump comprising:

a data port;

memory;

a screen;

a processor in data communication with the data port, the memory, and the screen, the processor programmed to (a) generate a user interface having a plurality of pages configured for display on the screen of the pump, at least one of the pages being identified as a home page, (b) retrieve a banner from the data port, the banner comprising substantially freely-editable, patient-identifying content, (c) store the banner in memory, and (d) display the banner in the home page on the screen.

16. (Currently Amended) ~~An infusion pump for delivering insulin, the pump~~ comprising:

a data port;

memory, the memory storing a list of selectively available banners, the banner comprising substantially freely-editable, patient-identifying content;

a screen;

a processor in data communication with the data port, the memory, and the screen, the processor programmed to (a) generate a user interface having a plurality of pages configured for display on the screen of the pump, at least one of the pages being identified as a home page, (b) map one of the banners from the list of selectively available banners to the home page, and (c) display the banner in the home page on the screen.

Please add the following new claims 17-23:

17. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the programmable pump comprises an infusion pump.

18. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the at least one of the pages is identified as a home page by presenting an icon in the home page.

19. (New) The method of claim 18, wherein presenting an icon in the home page includes presenting a number of a home page.

20. (New) The infusion pump of claim 15, wherein the at least one of the page is identified as a home page by an icon presented in the home page.

21. (New) The infusion pump of claim 20, wherein the icon comprises a number of the home page.

22. (New) The infusion pump of claim 16, wherein the at least one of the page is identified as a home page by an icon presented in the home page.

23. (New) The infusion pump of claim 22, wherein the icon comprises a number of the home page.